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Priv. J. P. Bell  
78th. Sig. Co. A.P.O. 78  
Camp Butler, N.C.

Free



Mrs. Jack Bell  
345 W. River St.  
Elyria, Ohio

July 16, 1943

Dearest darling,

What a lucky guy I am today. A letter from my sweetie, one from Mom and Dad and the cake and cookies. The cake is all gone. Stuff like that never lasts long around here, but it sure was delicious. It's one for all, and all for one when it comes to a package from home.

I don't know if I can do anything about getting my furlough sometime next week so I can be home when Chuck is, but I'll try. I try not to count too strongly on anything in the army 'cause there are lots of disappointments for anyone who does.

Last nite when I wrote I didn't know I had a letter from you I found it on my bunk when I got back to the barracks. Now baby, I don't want you saying things about yourself like that. You're the sweetest and most beautiful and bestest darling in the whole wide world, and I don't want you



to be tearing into yourself like that. Now, do you feel properly reprimanded or do I have to spank that sweet little luscious buttocks of yours? Yes, I think I'll have to do that when I come home - in a gentle loving manner. I'll pull down those saucy little pink panties you wear, and give you some caressing spanks in the right places. You won't like that very well, will you, sweetie?

Yes, darling, \$50.00 will be plenty. My expenses are fairly low. I haven't had much money since I've been in the army, but I've never been broke, and haven't wanted for anything.

Boy it's hot. My shirt is soaking wet. I don't believe there's a dry stitch on it, and I just put it on about an hour ago after the second shower I took this evening. We got the barracks all cleaned up, and I shined up all my shoes so I'm all set for the usual Saturday inspection.

Well, darling I guess I've said it all tonight so I'll wrap up a big hug and lots of kisses for my darling wife - I love you Fink, Your Own,  
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[[Nick Dante 11/9/15]]

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